

## POKER ROOM RAIDED.

**Wagon Loads of Paraphernalia Were Taken to Police Station.**

### ELEVEN PLAYERS WERE CAUGHT

**Had Been Running for Years and This Is the First Time the Room Had Ever Been Thoroughly Raided. Hearing Will Be Tonight.**

The biggest poker raid ever made in Connellsville, and in fact, Fayette county, was successfully conducted last night by the borough police force. No other officers were along. The room raided is one that has been running in Connellsville for years. Its reputation extends all over the western end of the State, and professional players as well as lovers of the great American game in town and vicinity have been in the habit of frequenting it. During former administrations it had been immune from police interference. Eleven players and the reputed owner of the room were arrested last night. All of them left for a hearing this morning. Harry Trimble, who is known to the police as the man who runs the room, was held in the sum of \$50. The other players were allowed to go with a forfeit of \$10 each for their appearance. It is not likely that any of them will show up for the hearing. Among the players in the room at the time it was pulled were some prominent residents.

This is the second time the local police have raided the room. The first raid was made on the other side of the room. On the other occasion five players were arrested, but the goods in the room were not molested. Last night everything in the room was moved down to the police station except an old piano. Following is a list of the stuff carted down to City Hall about one o'clock this morning:

One electric fan, 24 chairs, one stool, a high one, for the man in charge of the room to keep his eye on the play; one desk full of miscellaneous articles, including checks of well known gamblers, one stop jar, one ice chest, four cases of beer, one basket of chips, one six cooler, one box of cards and checks, six round poker tables with kiddy arrangement.

There was over \$100 worth of checks on the table when the police broke into the room. One man cashed in \$108 of this, which represented his winnings for the evening.

Chief of Police S. B. Decker had charge of the raid. He was accompanied by Policemen Martin Coyne, S. R. Nelson and Louis Opperman. They went to the room at 11:30 o'clock. Chief Decker went upstairs in the room at the corner of Mountain and Orchard alleys, located over a livery stable. Decker asked for admittance. It was refused. Policemen Coyne and Opperman were below a window on the outside from which there is a ladder. Some of the occupants rushed to the window, but retreated when they saw the officers below. Policemen Nelson followed. Decker upstairs after admittance had been refused and with one mighty heave of his 200 pounds of muscle sent the door crashing through. Then all the occupants were formally placed under arrest. One of them said he would give \$100 rather than walk down to the police station. His forfeit was taken. The tables and other stuff were loaded up and taken to the police station.

Trimble, who was in the act of cashing in when the door was broken open, was arrested as the owner of the room. All the persons present denied that they owned any of the gambling goods found. Trimble was the only player locked up and he was not released until 2 o'clock this morning, when another of those arrested appeared and made good his forfeit.

Trimble denied that he was the owner of the room and was considerably worried over the plight he had been left in. He said he ran the room for three other men in Connellsville and that someone would have to sweat if the blame was shifted to him. It is well known to the police and many others that the room raided does not belong to Trimble and it is also just as commonly known to whom it does belong. The police are at a quandary what to do with the paraphernalia they have on hand.

**Jumped His Board Bill.**  
Constable Charles M. Fee was in town Saturday morning. He had with him Ernest Warman, who he had arrested at Kittanning, Pa. Young Warman some time ago deserted his wife at Uniontown and jumped a board bill at the boarding house of Mrs. Ida Patton. He is now in jail at Uniontown.

**Value of Education.**  
The value of an education to the average boy is \$1800 a year, according to the arguments presented by ex-Superintendent of Schools Lamb of Bradock, Pa., in an address on Friday night before the public school teachers of New Castle, Pa.

## RAILROAD VETERANS MEET.

**Twelfth Annual Gathering Held in Pittsburgh Last Week.**

The twelfth annual meeting of the Veterans' association of the Pittsburgh division of the Pennsylvania railroad was held at Kennywood Park Thursday afternoon and evening. There were over 300 of the veterans present and it was said to have been the most pleasant meeting since the association was organized.

The members of the association gathered in the second floor of the pavilion in the park and the meeting was called to order at 3 o'clock P. M. by President Robert Piteau, who, after a short address of welcome, started the regular work of the meeting. The financial condition of the association was shown to be in excellent shape and, although death had made a number of visits during the year, the increase in membership greatly exceeded the loss by deaths. After the reading of the reports a memorial service for the 16 members who had died during the past year was held. Resolutions were read for each dead member. Those who died during the year were: W. S. McCoy, John Koeuan, John McClelland, H. E. Hudson, C. J. Luckett, L. Obermeyer, W. N. Hayes, J. W. Kemberling, J. C. Rayburn, N. M. Smith, P. L. Ferry, Robert Gumbert, Charles Ward, Edward Miller, Joseph Stewart and R. G. McCormick.

At the close of the memorial service Robert Piteau took occasion to make a few remarks, in which he said that these men who had been with the company for so many years had been tried and found not wanting. All as boys had ambitions, he said. Some had risen to fill the higher positions, while it became the lot of others to take charge of the minor places, but no matter what the position, honesty and virtue had marked the career of each and every one of them. The men, Mr. Piteau said, now gray, when boys or young men had been the Pennsylvania a very crude affair, as now compared with the modern railroad, but they had all contributed to the making of that small road the mightiest system in the country. The officials were proud of the long and honorable record of its men, and Mr. Piteau said their superior officer, thanked them one and all for their faithfulness.

Shortly after six o'clock the members of the association sat down to a banquet.

After the banquet Mr. Piteau took his position as toastmaster and read regrets from President A. J. Cassat, W. W. Atterburg and many other officers of the road. Rev. J. T. Pender of Pittsburgh was warmly received, and made an interesting talk. Many of the old-timers were afterward called upon to tell about the old days when railroad was far harder and more dangerous than at present.

The next meeting place has not yet been decided on and remains with the Executive Committee to name. It is possible that Pittsburgh may again be selected next year.

The officers of the association are: Robert Piteau, President; Thomas Ridley, Vice President; John Aldred, Treasurer, and E. S. Bacheler, Secretary. The Executive Committee are: T. M. Watt, G. M. Alexander, G. A. Cassidy, F. Ehrenfeld of Greensburg, E. Piteau, W. D. McKelvey and J. K. Russell.

### MILLION LOST IN POLES.

**Estimated Value of Western Union Property Cut Down by Pennsy.**

Philadelphia, May 21.—The Western Union Telegraph Company has not a wire working on the lines of the Pennsylvania railroad in this State. Officials of the Western Union say, however, that the company is keeping up with its business by using wires along the Baltimore & Ohio and the New York Central railroads. The value of the Western Union property cut down on the Pennsylvania lines is estimated at \$1,000,000.

Announcement was made today at the office of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company that the company would not permit the Postal Telegraph Company or any other corporation to own the poles for telegraph service which are to be erected along the lines of the railroad. According to an official of the company it is the intention to replace the poles of the Western Union Telegraph Company by others, which will be owned by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company.

### BARNS WILL BE OPEN

**In Town Memorial Day Except Between 8 O'clock and Noon.**

The bars at the hotels in Connellsville will be open on Memorial Day except between the hours of 8 A. M. and 12 noon. This decision was agreed upon by the hotel keepers of town this morning after a conference had been held with the G. A. R. representatives. The closed period on the morning of Memorial Day will be during the services that are to be held by the G. A. R. and the Union Veterans' Legion.

The hotel men of Connellsville were not requested by the committee to close the bars on Memorial Day. The closing between the hours of nine and noon is voluntary on their part and is appreciated both by the G. A. R. and the Union Veterans' Legion and their friends.

## RESERVOIR GAVE WAY

**Cool Spring Cloud Burst Let Loose 24,000,000 Gallons of Water.**

### NATIVES BADLY FRIGHTENED.

**Thought There Was Going to Be a Second Johnstown Flood Disaster. Damage in Wagon to B. & O. and Trolley Combine Tracks.**

Cool Spring reservoir, owned by the H. C. Frick Coke Company, erupted Sunday afternoon and 24,000,000 gallons of water rushed down the valley toward Lemont, spreading terror to the inhabitants. No lives were lost. Many persons fled from their homes, thinking there was to be a second Johnstown flood disaster. Just when the flood was at its height, however, when a few feet more would have wrought havoc and death, the water began to recede.

The most damage is done to the tracks of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad and the Pittsburgh, McKeesport & Connellsville Railway Company. They are washed out for a distance of several hundred feet. Traffic below Lemont on the trolley road is suspended today and the Baltimore & Ohio trains on the Fairmont division are being transferred over the Southwest railroad.

The reservoir broke from the downpour of rain that fell at a cloudburst during about twenty minutes yesterday afternoon. The water descended from the clouds as though flood gates had been opened and it was being poured out of the sky.

In a few minutes the stream which supplies Cool Spring reservoir was over its banks and the reservoir itself was overflowing. Then a break occurred in the breast of the dam and in an instant the whole body of water, 24,000,000 gallons was released. A number of small outbuildings and fences in the path of the flood were swept away.

The flood subsided as suddenly as it came on. The damage to the reservoir will amount to several thousand dollars and the Lemont plants will be handicapped some for water until the damage is repaired.

### SUES FOR COMMISSION.

**Mine Inspector Roby Wants His Share of a Coal Deal.**

Mine Inspector Isaac G. Roby of Uniontown, through his attorneys, Robinson & McKean, has brought an action against Robert D. Warman, a member of the Fayette county bar, to recover \$2750 with interest from March 21, 1902. The plaintiff claims that about January 1, 1902, the defendant owned or controlled certain options on about 1200 acres of coal lands in Greene county, lying north of Waynesburg, and near Schwartz station, with certain mining rights and privileges. The plaintiff alleges that the defendant entered into an agreement with him to sell the lands at a price exceeding \$10 per acre, plaintiff to have the excess over and above the \$40 as his compensation.

The plaintiff alleges that in February, 1902, he contracted with J. E. Jones, a person engaged in buying and selling coal lands, the land to go to Jones at \$12.50 per acre; Jones to have whatever excess over that Jones made the sale to John H. Appel and others for \$50 per acre. Roby claims in pursuance of above agreement the defendant is indebted to him in the sum of \$2750 and therefore brings suit to recover the same.

### BAGGAGEMASTER KILLED.

**Struck by Light Engine at Indian Creek on Sunday.**

Robert Stevenson, one of the best known railroad men in the passenger service on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, met death at Indian Creek Sunday night. Stevenson was a baggage master. His runs were alternate nights on the Duquesne limited, Nos. 11 and 12. He left Pittsburgh as usual Sunday night to make the round trip between there and Cumberland. At Indian Creek there was some slight repair to be made on the engine or the connection between it and the first car of the train. The engineer and fireman were out and the train crew also.

Stevenson got out of his car and walked around from one side of the engine to the other. The steno was blowing down over the track and just as he stepped up on the westbound track a light engine came along and ran him down. The noise of the escaping steam and the manner in which it blew down over the track prevented Stevenson from noticing the approaching locomotive. The remains were taken to the dead man's former home at West Newton this morning. Stevenson was 49 years old and married.

**Smallpox at Charleroi.**  
Charleroi has two cases of smallpox under quarantine.

## SCALPED BY SIOUX.

**Easily Defeated the Yorks Saturday. Scottdale's Revenge.**

The Sioux Indians removed the scalp of the palatine Yorks on the New Haven grounds Saturday afternoon. It was a merry-go-round for the Sioux. When they needed a bit they simply walked up and snatched it out. On both sides the playing was loose. The Indians did not appear to exert themselves. They had the game sewed up from the opening lining and occasionally they either permitted themselves to be put out or did not take advantage of easy chances to retire York runners on the bases. Besides this the grounds were too rough for any sort of certain fielding. It is impossible to tell how the ball will bound on the York infield and in the outfield also. When fly balls roll it is very difficult to judge their course. A short left field canvas fence made a ground rule necessary. Balls knocked over it count for two-base hits. Mason and McMasters pitched for the Yorks, while Gregg did the catching. The Indians had in two pitchers, not because they were necessary but because they were taking things easy. The final score was 23 to 5. A return game is to be played, when it is hoped the Yorks will either have improved from practice or else strengthen up some weak places in the line.

All playing league ball for four innings and holding the Scottdale team down to a score of 3 to 2, the Connellsville Athletics Club went to pieces in their game with that team at Scottdale Saturday afternoon. Miller, the young and speedy pitcher of the C. A. S., was a puzzle to his opponents, but gave out in the fourth inning and was succeeded by Nickle, who had an off day and was not in fit condition for a hard game. The Scottdale boys found his antics at once and for the balance of the game pounded him at will, until they had piled up 18 runs to Connellsville's 1.

### WILL BE DUPLICATED.

**Entire Pennsylvania Railroad System to Be Doubled.**

The purpose of the increased capitalization of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company has been disclosed. President Cassatt is quoted as saying that the entire system will be duplicated in order to meet the increased and increasing demands upon the road and to place the company in position to meet competition by the Gould system to the seaboard, which now seems assured.

The proceeds of the new \$20,000,000 stock issue are to be used in the proposed duplication, as well as in the construction of the tunnel under North river from Jersey City to New York, and in providing in the latter city extensive railroad terminals. It was supposed that the increased capitalization of the company was for the purpose of purchasing a control in the New York Central railroad.

The serious need of an enlarged system first became apparent to President Cassatt when he visited Pittsburgh last winter and witnessed the great freight blockade at that point. The blockade was broken at an enormous expense, and its repetition has been avoided, but there has only served to demonstrate the accuracy of Cassatt's judgment formed six months ago, that enlarged facilities were essential to a proper operation of the Pennsylvania system.

### MINNESOTA EDITORS.

**Their Annual Excursion Went Through This Morning.**

A special train of six Pullman coaches running as the first section of train No. 6 on the Baltimore & Ohio this morning carried the Minnesota editors, with their families and friends, on an annual excursion. The excursion started from St. Paul, Minn., Saturday morning and has been laid out several times by wagons. The editors were left behind, badges telling that the party expected to visit Washington, Mt. Vernon, Alexandria and Arlington. They expect to spend several days in the national capital.

There were a great many women on the train, for Minnesota is noted for its woman editors. There were big men and little men, men with red hair and men with no hair at all. Then there was a goodly sprinkling of young ladies through the train. The crowd on the platform looked in vain for cow-buffers, and so far as could be seen none of the editors were armed. It was plainly evident, however, that the special had passed through the town that Schultz made famous.

### Track Walker Killed.

Edward Hinds, who was employed at the Ronce works of the United States Steel Corporation in the Lower Connellsville region, was killed by a passenger train on the Coal Lick line Saturday evening. He was struck while walking along the track. Hinds' body was terribly cut up and mangled. He was 23 years old and leaves a wife and one child.

**Press Muzzler Denounced.**  
Rev. George H. Sisson of the First Methodist Protestant Church of Uniontown, in his sermon last night denounced the Pennsylvania press muzzler in very strong terms.

## A NEW TRAINMASTER

**On the Connellsville Division of the Baltimore & Ohio Will**

### LIKELY BE J. J. DRISCOLL.

**His Appointment Is Expected Tomorrow—He Succeeds E. A. Park, Promoted—G. W. C. Day Gets a New Position, Headquarters in Pittsburgh.**

It is generally rumored in railroad circles today that Assistant Trainmaster J. J. Driscoll will be made trainmaster of the Connellsville division of the Baltimore & Ohio, vice E. A. Park, who was recently transferred to the superintendency of the New Castle division of the road. While the official notification has not yet been received, it is almost certain that Mr. Driscoll has been stated for the position. It is likely that the notice will be posted tomorrow.

At the office of the superintendent this morning it was stated that nothing official could be given out on the matter, but that it was generally understood that Mr. Driscoll would be the new trainmaster. He has been in the employ of the company in Connellsville for a number of years, having come here from McKeesport. For several years he was chief dispatcher and from that position went to assistant trainmaster.

G. W. C. Day, former assistant trainmaster of the Pittsburgh division, has been appointed chief train dispatcher at Pittsburgh. Mr. Day has been located in Connellsville for the past several months, where he has looked after the western end of the Pittsburgh division. He has gone to Pittsburgh to assume his new duties. Mr. Day made many friends during his stay in Connellsville, who will regret his departure. The change comes in the way of a substantial promotion for Mr. Day.

### COMPANY D'S INSPECTION.

**General Public Invited to See the Soldier Boys Tonight.**

This evening at 8:15 Company D, Tenth Regiment, Second Brigade, N. Y. will be formally inspected by Captain Stewart of the United States Army. This inspection, ordered some time ago by the War Department, is for the purpose of ascertaining the exact condition of the National Guard of Pennsylvania. Captain Stewart will probably be accompanied by Col. James E. Barnett of the Tenth Infantry, and part of his staff. Members of other companies in the regiment are also expected to be present.

Company D is the first company in the regiment to be inspected by Captain Stewart. At 7 o'clock there will be an inspection of the State property, which has been displayed in the Armory. As soon as this inspection is over, a detail will replace the State property in the lockers and chests, and the formal inspection will commence. There will be only a few company movements, the appearance of the men being the vital point of the inspection. There will be no guard or culpost duty, but the non-commissioned officers' school will be given special attention.

Capt. John L. Gans extends a general invitation to the people of town to attend this inspection. It should be a matter of pride to Connellsville people to know that Company D is one of the best companies in the famous Tenth Infantry. The boys will be at their best this evening, and the inspection will not doubt be a very interesting spectacle.

### NEW P. R. SCHEDULE.

**Went Into Effect Sunday—Local Changes Are Slight.**

The summer arrangement schedule for the P. R. R. went into effect Sunday. The changes in the passenger service on the Southwest branch did not commence until today, on account of there being no Sunday trains. The changes in the local passenger trains' time is very slight, no change being more than ten minutes.

Train 101, northbound, formerly 7:22 A. M., is now 7:21; No. 104, southbound, formerly 8:11, now 8:03; No. 103, northbound, formerly 9:39, now 9:29; No. 100, southbound, formerly 10:52, now 10:41; No. 102, northbound, formerly 2:05, now 2:06; No. 104, southbound, formerly 3:50, now 3:57; No. 112, northbound, formerly 5:23, now 5:27; No. 113, southbound, formerly 6:45, now 6:52. Trains today were on time, and the new schedule is reported to be running order both on the branches and on the main line, where the changes are more pronounced.

**At the Hospital.**  
D. Bolla, an Italian miner, was received at the Cottage State Hospital Saturday evening. He was caught under a slate fall at the Leisenring No. 2 mines of the H. C. Frick Company. One ear was torn off, and he sustained a sprained shoulder and a number of scalp wounds. His condition is serious.

## FATALITIES IN FRANCE

**Terrible Accidents Result From Paris-Madrid Automobile Races.**

### CHAUFFEUR BURNED TO DEATH

**Soldiers and Bystanders Are Killed. Casualties All Along Course—Terrific Speed Attained by Machines. Continuance of Race Forbidden.**

Paris, May 25.—The first stage in the Paris-Madrid automobile race from Versailles to Bordeaux, 343 miles, finished at noon, when Louis Renault dashed at a furious pace into Bordeaux, having made a record run of 8 hours and 27 minutes. An hour later M. Gabriel arrived with a still better record of 8 hours 7 minutes. It is estimated from the times made that these automobiles covered 62 miles an hour on the road outside the cities. These victories, however, were clouded by a series of accidents, having in one case, at least, a fatal result. At least two cars were wrecked and Marcel Renault, the winner of the Paris-Vienna race last year, Lorraine Barrows, a very well-known automobilist, and Renault's chauffeur were seriously if not fatally injured, while Barrows' chauffeur was killed.

Moreover, an unconfirmed report says a serious accident occurred near Angoulême, in which the two occupants of an automobile, the owner of which is not known, were seriously injured and two spectators were killed. This number of accidents has not caused any great surprise here in view of the number of contestants in the race and the great speed and power of their machines.

Dispatches arriving from points along the course add to the list of fatalities and accidents. The most terrible occurred near Bourdeaux, 19 miles from Chartres, where machine No. 243, driven by M. Porter, was overturned at a railroad crossing and took fire. The chauffeur was caught underneath the automobile and burned to death, while two soldiers and a child were killed.

A chauffeur was badly injured by an accident to his motor car near Angoulême. A woman crossing the road in the neighborhood of Abia was run over by one of the competing cars and killed.

Mr. Stead and his chauffeur, who were first reported to have been killed, are still alive. It seems that their automobile collided with another car with which Mr. Stead had been racing for several kilometers, wheel to wheel, and was completely overturned in a ditch near Monteguyon. Mr. Stead was caught under the machine, while his chauffeur was hurled to a distance of 30 feet and had his head and body badly cut. Mr. Stead was conscious when he was picked up, but complained of suffering great pain. He was conveyed to the nearest farm.

It is stated that Louis Renault's automobile attained at Bourdeaux between Chartres and Bourdeaux, a maximum speed of 88½ miles per hour.

In view of the number of accidents, some fatal, in the first stage of the Paris-Madrid automobile race from Versailles to Bordeaux, Premier Combes has forbidden the continuance of the contest on French territory. It is reported that the Spanish government has also forbidden the continuance of the race on Spanish territory.

**Rained 24 Consecutive Days.**  
Enid, Okla., May 25.—Hundreds of persons are rendered homeless and property damage to the extent of \$300,000 was done in the Enid bottoms alone by a cloudburst Saturday night. The aggregate damage will probably be much higher on account of losses sustained between Enid and the seat of the storm. A bank of water three feet high and 200 feet wide swept down through the bottoms, carrying houses and everything before it. Residents went to work immediately and all night labored to save persons from perilous positions. The rainfall the past 10 days has been the heaviest in the history of Oklahoma. Sunday morning this vicinity was visited by another deluge, making the twenty-fourth consecutive day of rain.

**Million Dollar Fire in Philadelphia.**  
Philadelphia, May 25.—Fire is estimated to have caused a loss of upwards of \$1,000,000 in the building of the Front Street Warehousing company. The building was three stories high on Front street and five in the rear, and had two sub-basements. Merchandise of a general character was stored in the place. Everything in the building was destroyed by either fire or water. The contents of the building were owned by many firms and individuals. The building was owned by Jacob Wiseman and was valued at \$63,000. Three firemen were injured, two of them sustaining fractured shoulder blades.

**Offers to Increase Donation.**  
Bloomington, Ind., May 25.—John D. Rockefeller has offered to increase his donation to the student building fund of Indiana university from \$30,000 to \$50,000 on condition that a fund of \$50,000 be raised from other sources before July 1. Subscriptions to the amount of \$35,000 were obtained last year and the trustees will form plans to secure the required \$15,000.

## LOCAL AND PERSONAL

**Live News Notes Gathered From all Parts of the Town.**

Fine growing weather. Buy your Decoration ribbons at Rhodes & Smith's.

D. M. Jacobs of Dunbar was in town Sunday, calling on his friends.

Rev. W. H. Gladden went to Pittsburgh this morning for a short stay.

H. Kurtz, Jr., and daughter, of Confluence, were Sunday visitors here.

Mrs. Margaret Anderson of Glenwood is the guest of friends in town for a few days.

Fred Dietrich of Washington, D. C., is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Brill.

F. C. Fuller and Alfred Johnston, both of Uniontown, were Sunday visitors in town.

More than your money's worth for all you invest in lace curtains at Rhodes & Smith's.

Miss Jean Lockhart, who was visiting friends in Brownsville for a few days, returned Saturday.

Dr. G. M. Joseph of Morgantown, W. Va., was among the guests registered at the Young House Sunday.

Miss Hattie Johnston of Rockwood is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Green of Witter avenue.

W. L. Hibbs and William Hankins of Uniontown arrived here Saturday night on their way home from Pittsburgh.

Mrs. Robert Keffer returned from Vanderbilt Sunday, where she was visiting friends for the past week.

Charles D. Baer, a law student in the office of W. E. Crow at Uniontown, spent Sunday with friends in town.

James Ringer, formerly of town, but now of East Pittsburgh, was visiting his friends in town Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. B. Franklin Miller of Reading, Pa., is visiting her father, Charles H. Ruch, the genial landlord of the Young House.

Druggist Arthur A. Clark is the happy father of a nine-pound baby boy, which arrived at his home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Robinson of Ellwood City are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Gietfeldt of East Fairview.

The recent rain has troubled the waters of the Young and spoiled the popular practice of watching river suckers from the Main street bridge.

H. S. Humblard of Uniontown was among the business callers in town Saturday. He is one of the leading attorneys of the county capital.

Miss Anna Day, librarian of the Carnegie Free Library, returned home on Sunday evening from California, Pa., where she attended a librarians' institute.

The Connellsville Bill Posting Company has erected a new board under Main street bridge. The place is rather conspicuous on account of the fact that it is along Water street.

Girard & Strawn have placed an engine for a hoisting apparatus in front of Doyle, Brill & Co.'s building on Pittsburgh street, where another story is to be added for an extension of the business of the company.

People who went for walks in the woods Sunday were generally caught in the rain. The cars of the Suburban line were well filled all day, and in the evening more than one well-drenched party came straggling home.

Judge E. H. Reppert was in town for a short time Sunday on his way to his home in Uniontown after a short visit in Mt. Pleasant. He tried the Evanson division of the Pittsburgh, McKeesport & Connellsville, and thinks the road all right.

Capt. John L. Gans has been in town for several days preparing for the inspection of Company D, which takes places in the Armory tonight. With his engineering work at Old Frame and in Armstrong county, besides local interests, Captain Gans is kept very busy.

George J. Humbert arrived here yesterday from New York, took a look over South Connellsville, examined into his affairs at Morgantown over the telephone and took the Duquesne Limited back to Gotham the same evening; and it wasn't one of George's busy days, either.

Morris Kobacker writes that Toledo, O., his new home, is exceedingly prosperous, but he leaves us in doubt as to whether it's Mark Hanna's fault or not. He says: "Our store is far from ready for occupancy yet. The carpenters' strike has thrown us far back, but we are trying to push the work."

There has been a camp of gypsies on New Haven hill for the past week and a number of people of the two towns have gone over to have their fortunes told. The men members of the camp have the usual side issue of trading stock, and a number of horse trades have been made with local dealers.

**G. A. R. Encampment.**  
For the benefit of those desiring to attend the annual encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, Department of Pennsylvania, at Allentown June 1 to 5, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets to Allentown from all stations on its line in the State of Pennsylvania on May 31, June 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5, good to return until June 6, inclusive, at rate of a single fare for the round trip. For specific rates apply to local ticket agents.

**Decoration Day Rates**  
Via P. & L. E. R. R. On account of the national holiday, special rates of one fare for the round trip are offered to all points within a radius of 100 miles. Tickets good going May 29 and 30, returning June 1, 1903.

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We can't do this department justice in this little "ad"—haven't the space. Would take half of this paper to tell you all about the stock and the many special bargains. We simply say this: It's to your own advantage to see our stock, if you are in the market for anything in this line.

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By nice Shoes we don't only mean nice looking. We include good quality. It requires that to make Shoes nice, and that's what makes our Shoes so much nicer than the general run. They have the stock that makes good quality. We have them for Men and Women, Boys and Girls, and the prices are right. We guarantee every pair.

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**EMERSON EULOGIZED.**

American Unitarian Association Holds Memorial Services in His Honor.

**POET'S HUNDREDETH BIRTHDAY**

Addresses Made by Senator Hoar and President Eliot, of Harvard—Boston Churches Have Special Services for Nation's Dead.

Boston, May 25.—Special services pertinent to Memorial day were held in a large number of the city churches, the various Grand Army posts, Sons of Veterans' camps and other army and navy organizations and the ladies' auxiliaries connected with them attending in large numbers.

Many of the city pastors also devoted their morning sermons to Ralph Waldo Emerson, the 100th anniversary of whose birth occurs today.

The principal Emerson memorial service was held in Symphony hall under the auspices of the American Unitarian association. After Rev. Dr. Edward Everett Hale had offered prayer Senator George F. Hoar, who presided, opened the meeting with a brief address. He said:

"Ralph Waldo Emerson among other precious lessons, reaffirmed for



SENATOR GEORGE F. HOAR.

us and taught us anew the value of the human affections. He was a royal and noble lover. He loved wife and children and home and neighbors and friends and town and country and college.

"Emerson loved liberty and justice. His picture of a New England town for which Concord sat, his picture of his beloved city where 'twice each day the howling sea takes Boston in its arms,' and his 'fortune of the republic,' are the high-water mark which the love of country, of birthplace and of town had reached at that time. So it is fitting that Boston and Concord and Harvard should be foremost to utter on this anniversary what all his countrymen are thinking."

President Charles W. Eliot, of Harvard, spoke at length of the life and work of Emerson.

**Prince Henry Visits Spain.**

Madrid, May 25.—Prince Henry of Prussia arrived on a visit to the Spanish court. He was received by King Alfonso and his ministers. The prince's visit is made at the Kaiser's wish to present his majesty's compliments to King Alfonso. Prince Henry will occupy a suite of rooms in the palace, and Admiral de la Camara has been attached to his person during his stay here.

**Bolter Explosion Kills Six.**

Plaquemine, La., May 25.—A bolter at Wilson & Cochran's sawmill at Wilcox, near Maringo, exploded and killed six persons. The dead: William Pearson, white, engineer, aged 60, James Victor, Philip Archer, William Hill, Richard Hill, Jesse Thomas. Nine others are seriously injured and it is thought that two of them will die.

**One Fatally Shot.**

Freedom, Pa., May 25.—In a shooting affray on the street three men were hit, one fatally. They are: Leo Oranzo, shot above the heart, through the right shoulder and through the left arm; cannot recover. Tony Oranzo, shot in the right shoulder, Angelo Turelino, shot in the back.

**Killed by Lightning.**

Pittsburg, May 25.—While standing under a tree in Schenley park to escape a wetting, Milton W. Robinson, of 203 Stouhen street, West End, was killed by lightning. Within a radius of 25 feet were six other men, none of whom was hurt.

**Shot Woman and Himself.**

New Castle, Pa., May 25.—Charles Grannis shot Mrs. Della May Ryhal at Cascade park and then shot himself. Both are at the Shenango Valley hospital here and it is said that neither can live.

**Swedish Consul General Dismissed.**

Copenhagen, May 5.—At the demand of General Bobrikoff, the governor general of Finland, M. Savon the Swedish consul at Nystad, Finland, has been dismissed for participation in the anti-Russian agitation.

**Only Forty-Eight Escape.**

Sofia, May 25.—The Turks have burned the village of Banltzi, near Sere. Only 48 of the 500 inhabitants escaped, and many women and girls were outraged and murdered and their bodies cast into the water.

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### WEATHER FORECAST.

Western Pennsylvania—Fair in the north, showers in south portion; Tuesday, showers; light to fresh east winds.

### THE GREATER PENNA. RAILROAD.

The announcement that the \$50,000,000 new stock issue of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company is to be employed in practically duplicating the system is quite in line with the unvarying policy of that most progressive of all American railway corporations. The unprecedented prosperity of the past few years and the consequent sudden and overwhelming increase in traffic caught all the railroads napping. They were not prepared to handle the business. Blockades ensued and a cessation of blockades meant total paralysis of the freight movement. This happened many times, and the immaculate Pennsylvania system "fell down" as often and as hard as any other railroad entering the Connellville coke region.

It was during one of these series of blockades with its attendant paralysis, when President Cassatt came on to Pittsburgh to personally oversee the situation, to disentangle it and to see that it was not repeated. He saw at once that the trouble was not the management of the freight movement, but the lack of facilities for handling that movement; that was responsible for the congestion; in other words, there were not enough cars and engines, nor enough tracks; and all the while the determined must be provided.

Industrial Pittsburgh and her great furnace-fuel annex, the Connellville coke region, are the god-parents of the greater Pennsylvania railroad system.

### FAIR LADIES AND BOLD SOLDIERS.

Company D will show the Connellville people the model soldier tonight, and every body is urged to go and see the inspection, particularly the ladies, whom the gallant guardsmen adore, as it is their knightly duty to do.

With heads high up and eyes glowing, see how they drill; they're not so slow. March on parade, put them in the shade—upon the floor.

The boys know how to evolve, and likewise how to shoot. See them march, with armor bright in mimic war.

The brass buttons were ever an attraction to the fair sex, and the soldier who has no sense of gallantry on the carpet will be found lacking in civility on the field. This gallantry should be encouraged in order that the civility be not lacking against the country's need. It will therefore be seen that the ladies, individually and collectively, have much to do with making the soldier and incidentally with saving the country.

When a man gets into D & O. service he is not allowed to enter in one place. "Move on!" is the watchword. That means he moves higher; if he doesn't, the command is, "Move out!"

It is announced that the platform of the Republican County Convention of Beaver forecasts the platform of the Republican State Convention. It declares for Roosevelt, endorses "the wise and patriotic" administration of Governor Pennypacker, favors the early admission of Oklahoma, Arizona and New Mexico, and opposes tariff tinkering. This is the line the Lone Fisherman of the Beaver valley has put out. No mention is made of the press-gag, but it's at the end of the line as a sinker. If there are any bites, the suckers will be closely associated with the sinker.

The School Directors of German township had their Sanitary Agent all ready for appointment. Their common sense probably told them what the decision of the Court would be.

A revolver is not a safe thing to go a-courtin' with.

George J. Gould's western trip resulted in a shaking up among the officials of his big railway system. Western Union Telegraph Company was in the meantime getting a shaking up here in Pennsylvania that nearly shook it out of root.

A broader interpretation of the blue laws is the style in municipal government this summer. The people have been punished enough.

The Minnesota editors had a portion of Wisconsin with them. It was labeled, "Selfish Milwaukee." The editors would not stop off and take a look over the Connellville coke region. They had heard that we closed our bars at 9 o'clock in the evening, and that there was only one summer garden in Connellville and it wasn't a beer garden.

The country got on the water wagon at last.

The new schedule of the Pennsylvania is the same old thing. It is to be hoped that the doubling of the system includes the putting on of better passenger service. The passenger service at today is the same we had twenty years ago.

John Mitchell cast a shadow into the coke region on Saturday. That's as near as he got. No use, John, to come any closer.

Uncle Mark Hanne thinks it's a little early to endorse Roosevelt in Ohio, especially since the next State Convention will elect the delegates and give the instructions. Uncle Mark wants time to think.

The hotel keepers will close their doors a portion of the day on Memorial Day, this being all the Grand Army desires and all that is essential to a decent respect for the day and its memories, the period of closing covering the exercises in honor of the dead heroes.

The Allegheny county Democracy at ways was a long job. It has seldom been anything but a life to the Republican faction. It is not strange, therefore, to hear nowadays that Tompkins for to come, nowadays that Tompkins had a meeting and arranged a picnic. The only strange thing about it is that the Democrats have been so far removed as to permit them a place in the ticket. Formerly they had to be content with what was handed to them after the election.

Side starts right on with a specialty in the shape of a patent speaker. We hope there will be millions in it, and that the speaker will anchor all the money in Connellville.

In welcoming the Western Union, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company came near wrecking its brother company, the Baltimore & Ohio.

### TAX ON FRANCHISES.

Ordinance Passed by the Washington, Pa., Borough Town Council.

The recommendation of the finance committee of the Washington Council that ordinance be adopted taxing jobs on the streets at one dollar each per year, street cars \$20 each, each mile of wire \$2.50, each mile of water, gas and other pipe \$1 per mile, will be generally commended. The committee well says that "real estate owners seem to pay all the taxes, and by Council enacting such ordinance as suggested the borough treasury will be replenished by at least \$1000 annually or enough to keep up the cleaning of the streets."

This is in line with the suggestion made by the Observer some time ago. We believe that every corporation which is given permission to use the public thoroughfares should be required to bear a fair portion of the burden of local taxation. We believe that the Council should also pass an ordinance taxing vehicles and it should also strictly enforce the dog ordinance. The latter should yield a revenue of at least a thousand dollars per year if properly looked after.

We notice that in New Brighton the borough ordinance taxing dogs imposes \$2 on each male dog and \$2 on each female dog. In case a person owns two dogs he must pay \$2 on the second dog, and if he has three dogs he must pay \$2 on the third and so on for the rest of his kennel. If Washington had such an ordinance and enforced it the borough should receive \$2000 dollars in dog tax or have several hundred less dogs. Altogether it seems that the report of the finance committee recommending new subjects for taxation is entirely proper, and Council will act wisely if it adopts ordinances covering these recommendations.

### Newspaper Notes.

The Meyersdale Commercial appears in all home print; eight pages, cut, pasted and folded; with the announcement by Editor Lou Smith that this step forward in the march of improvement as made necessary by the increased advertising patronage of the paper due to the growth of business enterprise in Meyersdale. We congratulate The Commercial upon its improved appearance and the improved conditions that made it possible.

The Charlot Mirror "blows itself" and its constituency in a handsomely illustrated number last week. Editor E. C. Niver betrays taste in typography as well as enterprise in editorial work. The special number is an evidence of a live town, a live newspaper and a live editor.

### TROOPS IN BREATHITT COUNTY

Militia Takes Charge of Peace Regulations—Special Term of Court to Investigate Assassination.

Lexington, Ky., May 25.—Lexington was the mobilization point of state troops that took charge of the peace regulations of Breathitt county. Company A, of Frankfort; Company K, of Shelbyville, and Battery A, of Louisville, with a galling gun, arrived and joined Company C, of Lexington, at the armory. The battalion left for Jackson on a special train. A hospital corps accompanied the troops. No one here anticipates any trouble during the investigation of the assassinations of Dr. Cox, Jim Cochrane and C. B. Marcus, for which the special term of court has been called.

Curtis Jett, accused of the assassination of Marcus, remains in jail at Winchester, where he was arrested. Habeas corpus proceedings instituted for him will keep him under the jurisdiction of the court there until June 4. It is understood, however, that if an indictment shall be returned at Jackson the Clark county court will surrender Jett to Breathitt county authorities for immediate trial.

The press of the state takes a pessimistic view of the results to be accomplished at Jackson, the belief being that fear of assassination after the troops are withdrawn will restrain Jackson people from testifying to what they know and what is common knowledge of the three murders specified, and of more than 30 others which have occurred during the last 18 months, for which there have been no convictions.

### LOCOMOTIVE BOILER EXPLODES

Killing Brakeman and Injuring Four Others. Three Probably Fatally.

Kane, Pa., May 25.—While passing May's siding, about seven miles west of here, the boiler on one of the locomotives pushing a Philadelphia and Erie freight train exploded, killing one and injuring four others, three perhaps fatally.

The dead, John Craine, brakeman, unmarried; Head at Langhams.

The injured, Charles Owens, conductor, Erie, married, will die; Henry Gagner, fireman, Waterford, unmarried, will die; W. J. Swartz, engineer, married, Erie, may die; Peter Crossen, fireman, Kane, not badly hurt.

The injured are all at the Kane hospital.

### Revolutionaries Killed.

Salonica, May 25.—The revolutionary band of 15 men, headed by the Macedonian leader, Svetkoff, against which the Turkish troops were fighting all day Thursday near the Bulgarian village of Mogil, was finally surrounded and destroyed. The fight was a prolonged one and Svetkoff, 12 of his men and six villagers were killed. The Turkish loss was trifling. After the fighting the Dashi-Bazouks pillaged and burned 15 houses in Mogil. Terror prevails in Monastir and the consuls propose to ask for foreign guards. Another 15 battalions of Turkish troops are coming from Asia Minor to complete the occupation of the villages.

### Shot Brother With Florent Rifle.

Sharon, Pa., May 25.—Charles and Floyd Greener, crown up brothers, living in Dunmore, engaged in a quarrel, during which Floyd seized a Florent rifle, placed it at the abdomen of his brother and fired. The ball tore the intestines to such an extent that in the opinion of the doctors death will ensue. Floyd was arrested and failed. He says he did the shooting in self defense.

### Two Spectators Killed.

Bristol, England, May 25.—A motor cycle swerved into a crowd of spectators Saturday, two of whom were killed and many others seriously injured.

### For Sale.

FOR SALE—HOUSEHOLD GOODS, including piano, sewing machine, bed, dining room and kitchen furniture. Will be sold by May 29. Call at Room 209, NAHEPTA PLAZA, East Fairview Avenue, 25th St.

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## SERMON TO VETERANS

Preached on Sunday Morning by Rev. W. H. Gladden of the

### METH. PROTESTANT CHURCH.

Memorial Services Were Largely Attended Both in the Morning and Evening by the Old Soldiers and Their Friends.

There was a large attendance at the memorial services at the Methodist Protestant Church Sunday morning. The church was generously festooned with flags and bunting. Miss Harriett Berger at the organ was at her best. Miss Irene Brunshear sang very beautifully. Rev. W. H. Gladden took for his text Rev. xx, 12: "And I saw the dead small and great stand before God," and the large audience was expectant, as the text indicated just what really did follow, a new line of thought for such a time, and yet one not inappropriate.

After defining the intent of Memorial Day services as a preparatory exercise in approaching the return of May 30, the speaker first took up the celebrated poem of Colonel O'Hara, entitled "The Bivouac of the Dead," as he read it in fragmentary lines from bronze tablets in Arlington Cemetery, Washington, D. C. telling his hearers that the beautiful lines were dedicated to the memory of Kentucky soldiers, who died in the Mexican War and were buried at Frankfort. Then he proceeded to recite, verse by verse, the great poem, commenting and enlarging upon the thoughts there suggested. The lines of course were very appropriate, and the recitation of them at such a time and place seemed at times to breathe the sentiment of the whole audience; for instance, when he said: "On Fame's eternal camping ground Their silent tents are spread, And Glory guards with solemn round The widows of the dead."

Then, referring to Saturday next, he continued with increasing voice: "Nor shall your glory be forgot While Fame her record keeps, Or Honor points the hollow spot Where Valor proudly sleeps."

Rev. Gladden then proceeded to describe some great days in military history, Wellington and Bonaparte at Waterloo, some great engagements in the Civil War, dwelling upon Gettysburg, mentioning also Dewey in Manila Bay, and declared that the day mentioned in the text was greater than any, or all of these together, when "the dead small and great shall stand before God." He concluded with a vivid description of the final judgment, reminding his hearers that the graves to be decorated next Saturday would yield their contents at that day.

In the evening he continued the same subject from a different standpoint, and a different text, finding his text in First Samuel, xxx, 21: "As his part is that goeth down to the battle, so shall his part be that tarrieth by the staff; they shall part alike," showing that there is honor and glory for the widow and orphan of the soldier also. Both sermons were very favorably commented upon.

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Pennsylvania railroad.

These tickets will be sold at rate of \$20 each, subject to refund of \$10 on surrender of cover to Travel Lines Alliance Ticket Bureau, No. 113 Liberty street, New York, at any time within 18 months from date of purchase.

This form of ticket will be issued in deference to request of numerous patrons of the lines in interest desiring one ticket good over several lines instead of having to provide themselves as at present with a separate ticket for each line they desire to use.

Agents at principal stations of the railroads named above will have these tickets on sale and give all further information regarding them that may be required.

### Prohibition Convention.

The Prohibition county convention will be held at Uniontown tomorrow. In a notice printed last week in The Courier it was stated that the convention would be held on the 28th. It should have read the 26th.

### Health Officer Appointed.

A health officer has been appointed for Monongahela county, W. Va., at a salary of \$600 per year.

## LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Live News Notes Gathered From all Parts of the Town.

Hollie Guard is up from Dawson today.

Latrobe announces the formation of a golf club.

M. S. Brooks was down from Addison Sunday.

Frank Rouman of Broad Ford was in town Sunday.

Mary McCotnick of Dawson visited friends here Sunday.

E. G. Wellner of Uniontown was a business caller Saturday.

Beautiful line of shirt waists at low prices at Rhodes & Smith's.

Attorney Charles Rush of Uniontown was here today on business.

Jerome Koback of Mt. Pleasant called on friends here Sunday.

Miss Laura Kuhn of Dawson is in town today doing some shopping.

Charles Freeze and family of Uniontown were calling on friends here Sunday.

H. B. Brown, formerly of town, but now of Cleveland, O., is visiting friends here.

R. M. Hunt of town and E. A. Hunt of Rising Sun, Ind., are visiting in New Florence.

N. B. Sprout of McKeesport, formerly of Connellsville, is visiting friends here today.

Immediate deliveries of sewer pipe and fittings. Send in your orders to F. T. Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Cohn were the guests of their son, Sam Cohn, in Mountaintown, over Sunday.

Master Pinkney Cohen has returned from Pittsburgh, where he had been visiting the past week.

Harry Slichter, who has been visiting friends in Confluence for the past week, returned home Saturday.

Mrs. Floyd Schnapp of North Clarion is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Crawford Stillwagon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Curry of Arch Street were the guests of friends in Confluence Saturday and Sunday.

Full line of game wares, and paintings at Rhodes & Smith's for ladies, misses and children, at 5, 10, 15 and 25 cents.

Mrs. Will Jones of Pittsburg is spending a few days at the home of her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth McConley, in this place.

The Holy Redeemer Club will hold a picnic party in the Title & Trust Hall Tuesday night. Prof. Kerner will furnish the music.

John Grant, formerly one of Connellsville's business men, now located in Wilkes-Barre, is here on a business and pleasure trip.

J. T. Pascoe of the Great Haven Coal & Coke Company was here on Sunday on his way back to Pittsburg from a visit to the mines.

Constable Allen Carson of Port Republic was in town this morning on his way to Uniontown with Joseph Ritzman, a prisoner, who was charged with selling liquor without license.

A much needed wreck in the upper Allegheny & Ohio yards on Sunday morning delayed traffic some on the eastbound track. Three steel beams jumped the track during some stiffing.

W. H. Klingerman, assistant general manager of the P. C. Fleet Coke Company, was here yesterday. He is much pleased with the trolley service. It enables him to come to Connellsville and get a train for any old place, including West Newton.

Don, S. L. Mestrovat, Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, escaped from the village of Uniontown yesterday afternoon and spent a few hours in Connellsville with relatives before leaving on a flying trip to Philadelphia. He will return to Fayette county tomorrow or next day.

The veterans of Company D, Tenth Regiment, Walter B. Brown Encampment, will hold a meeting this evening for the purpose of deciding what inscription shall be placed on the monument to be erected in Schenley Park, Pittsburgh, in memory of Colonel Alexander L. Hawkins and the members of the Tenth killed in action.

The Fiederkranz Singing Society are making preparations to attend the annual singing contest at Collinsburg next Saturday. The society last year was awarded second prize for singing. This year they are said to be much improved over last and it will not be surprising if they carry away first honors. About fifty members will attend.

The Bryan stock company will open a week's engagement at the Opera House Monday night, May 25, presenting for the first time here and at popular prices, Frank Parker's beautiful romance of the hills of old Kentucky, "A True Kentuckian." On the opening night, Monday, May 25, any lady will be admitted for 15 cents to best reserved seats if reserved before 7 P. M. Monday night at Clark's jewelry store. Prices, evening, 10, 20 and 30 cents. Matinee 10 and 20 cents.

Special Rate to Bellefontaine.

On account of the convention of the German Baptist Brethren at Bellefontaine, Ohio, May 30 to June 4, inclusive, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell tickets to Bellefontaine and return at the following rates: Connellsville, \$8.40; Uniontown, \$9.10.

And at proportionate rates from intermediate points and from stations on the Cumberland Valley Railroad. Tickets will be sold from May 28 to June 2, inclusive, and will be good to return leaving Bellefontaine not later than June 6. By deposit of tickets not later than June 6 an extension of return limit to June 30 may be obtained. For further information apply to ticket agents.

Standard Bred Poultry.

If you wish to find as pure bred poultry as any in the State, get your eggs for hatching from S. L. Francis, 604 Johnston avenue.

THIS STORE CLOSSES AT 8 P. M.

## DUNN'S CASH STORES

### STORE NEWS

#### White Waists.

Many new and various styles are to be found in this department, and this being decidedly a "white season," you will need many of these Waists. A visit here and you will want to buy. We are sure you will find one or more of these that will please you.

#### Shirtwaist Suits

at \$4.00 each. These are good values for the price asked for them. Have them in four different styles, blue, red and black and white.

Also have better values in real dressy Suits in black and white, white and linen color, all of them neatly made and trimmed. A price range from \$6.00 to \$10.00.

#### Ribbed Underwear.

Women's Ribbed Vests, 15c each or 2 for 25c.

Women's fine list thread Vests, lace trimmed, silk taped (deep lace-trimmed umbrella pants to match), at 25c each.

Better quality Vests with or without straps at 50c each.

#### White Skirts

at \$1.25 and \$1.50 each, made of fine cambric, with lawn flounce, finished with three rows of hem-stitched tucks. These Skirts are most suitable for wearing with Shirtwaist Suits.

Housecleaning time is about over and the house keeper wants new draperies to brighten the house.

We have a full line of Silkalines and Silk Draperies at 15, 50 and 75c the yard.

Scrap Paper Baskets to suit the paper on your room, from 25c to \$1.00 each.

## DUNN'S CASH STORES

129, 131, 133 N. PITTSBURG STREET, CONNELLVILLE, PA.

## EXQUISITE, Fashionable Millinery.

Extraordinary Inducements, All the Predominating Colorings.

Ladies' Trimmed Hats, ready to wear, 98c to \$10.00. Misses' and Children's Trimmed Hats, ready to wear, 75c to \$5.00. FLOWERS—Roses, Poppies, Wild Flowers, etc., for Hat trimming. All duty colorings, including Red, Pink, Corn and the celebrated Celestial Blue. RIBBONS AND VELVETS—All the new and fashionable shades, all pure silk, satin back, and fine and beautiful high pile Velvets in all shades. Ladies have never had in this city such a fine and fashionable showing of high grade Millinery. Our prices are the lowest. ALL TRIMMING DONE FREE.

### Wall Paper.—New and Stylish Patterns.

50c bolt, pretty and bright color, worth 8c bolt.

72c bolt, attractive and pleasing pattern, worth 10c bolt.

10c Nothing equals these fine selections for the very low price. Worth 12 to 15c.

15c High colored, entire new design, elegant for fine room decoration. Worth 20c per bolt.

High-priced Papers in stock and will be sold at the lowest possible price.

ALL PAPER TRIMMED FREE.

### Hammocks.

Stock complete. Prices from 75c to \$3.98. Call and see our large assortment.

Strong, ready to swing up, extra heavy, full size, good color, with Pillow, worth \$1.75c.

Extra heavy, fancy colors, 99c with pillow, worth \$1.25, at

Heavy weaver, fancy colors, with pillow, worth \$2.75. Our price today only \$1.45

### DOOR AND WINDOW Screens.

Doors, natural wood finish, only 65c

Doors, natural wood finish, fancy trimmings 99c

Doors, natural wood finish, extra style and trimmings \$1.15

Window screens 15, 19, 25 and 30c each.

## ELEGANT CARPETS.

NEW AND HANDSOME PATTERNS.

Selling at the Very Lowest Prices.

If you wish a new and handsome Carpet now is your opportunity to secure a fine bargain in a desirable and elegant floor covering.

98c per yd. for a fine Velvet, latest and best made, choice and elegant designs, worth \$1.50.

94c for the most elegant and handsome patterns in Velvets, worth \$1.25.

49c yd. for elegant and new designs in Tapestry Brussels, worth \$2.00 yd.

49c for all wool Ingrains, new styles, red and black, green and black, worth 75c yd.

25c for wool and cotton mixed Ingrains, worth 50c.

22c yd. Granite, new patterns, worth 55c.

Carpets Made, Laid and Lined Free.

### Matting and Oilcloth.

10c per yd. for choice Matting, 15c quality.

19c per yd. for Cotton Chain Matting, worth 25c.

23c per yd. for Cotton Chain Matting, fancy and attractive patterns, worth 30c.

1-yd.-wide Oilcloth, worth 25c per yd. Our price 25c.

11-yd.-wide Oilcloth, sold at 50c. Now only 38c.

2-yd.-wide Oilcloth, worth 50c per yd. Our price 50c.

2-yd.-wide Linoleum, heavy and good, worth \$1.25. Our price today only \$1.

RACKET STORE ATTRACTIONS ARE THEIR LOW PRICES.

C. E. SCHMITZ'S

New York Racket Store,

166 W. Main Street, Connellsville.

## The Girls' Shoes

To be satisfactory must be stylish, neat fitting, comfortable Shoes, that look well, and if there is one store more than another that looks closely after the wearing qualities of Children's Shoes, this is the store. There's no store selling better wearing Shoes than ours. You get all the new styles in any of the leathers, and our prices are always the lowest for good reliable Shoes. A variety here that's sure to suit.

## NORRIS & HOOPER.

104 W. Main St., Connellsville.

## Saving Money on Groceries.

That's what we are doing for you every time you spend money here. We buy for cash and in large quantities the very best to be had and can afford to sell on a very small margin of profit. Give us your next order and note the smallness of our prices.

12 cakes good Toilet Soap.....	25c	1 doz. large Lemons.....	20c
10 lbs. Laundry Soap.....	25c	5 large sacks Salt.....	25c
6 bottles Fruit Syrup.....	25c	3 boxes Noodles.....	25c
4 lbs. good Peaches.....	25c	1 qt. small Olives.....	25c
4 lbs. good Prunes.....	25c	1 qt. large Olives.....	40c
4 packages Corn Starch.....	25c	12 boxes Sal Soda.....	25c
4 bottles Annona.....	25c	3 boxes X-Cel-O.....	25c
6 cakes Scouring Soap.....	25c	3 boxes Grape Nuts.....	25c
5 packages Baking Soda.....	25c	3 boxes Coconut.....	25c
2 lb. can Baking Powder.....	25c	3 boxes Cooper's Gelatine.....	25c

One Bushel Good Potatoes..... 70c

USE WHITE SATIN FLOUR.

## Davidson's Popular Grocery

109 W. MAIN STREET.

### Byron W. King's Summer School of Oratory.

Elocution and Dramatic Culture, at Corry, Pa.

5 WEEKS, JUNE 29—JULY 31.

Six Courses—Elocution, Physical and Dramatic Culture, Shakespeare, Penmanship, Latin, Music, Spelling, Grammar, Good Manners, 100 Lessons and 20

Entertainments for \$20. A school for Teachers, Students, Lecturers and Clergymen. Write for Circulars to BYRON W. KING, 204 Sixth Street, Pittsburg, Pa.

## SUNDAY A DAY OF REST

Roosevelt Attends Services and Listens to Sermon That Pleases Him.

### SATURDAY BUSIEST OF THE TOUR

Made Five Speeches During Day—Visited Navy Yard at Bremerton—Took Customary Horseback Ride Sunday Afternoon.

Seattle, May 25.—Sunday was spent very quietly by President Roosevelt. In view of the fact that the president always observes the Sabbath as he sees fit the citizens of Seattle gave him full range to follow his own inclinations and Secretary Loeb said the president appreciated this deference more than any public attention.

Saturday was one of the hardest days that the president has had since he started on his tour. He visited the navy yard at Bremerton, went to Seattle, Everett, and returned to Seattle again in the evening. During the day he made five addresses. Naturally the strain told on the president, but when he appeared before the people in the morning he looked as if he were ready for another day of activity.

During the morning President Roosevelt attended the memorial services of the G. A. R. at the Grand opera house. Rev. J. M. Wilson preached the sermon that struck a popular chord in which the president was highly interested.

There was a large gathering at the service and all paid their respects to the president. In the afternoon the president and some members of his party took a horseback ride out to Fort Lawton, where they spent a short time looking over the grounds. There was nothing official in his visit and he greeted the soldiers, mingling with them informally.

The headquarters of President Roosevelt in Seattle have been at the Hotel Washington. All the arrangements were of a most exclusive character and not a single detail was overlooked. The national guard has been on duty at the hotel during all the watches of the day and night. Large crowds of people have been in front of the hotel all day long, waiting patiently to catch a glimpse of the president.

During the president's entire stay in Seattle the weather has been exceptionally fine and clear. The party left Seattle over the Northern Pacific on the return to the east. Stops will be made at various points in Washington during the day.

### FARMERS ARE IN LYNCHING MOOD

Murder of Rosa Kaiser and Murderous Assault on Her Father Arouses Populace.

Lawrenceburg, Ind., May 25.—Sunday was a day of intense excitement over the murder of Rosa Kaiser and the murderous assault on her father last Friday night. The farmers gathered at various towns and openly threatened lynching if the guilty party could be identified. Sheriff Axby has a very strong guard of deputies at the jail, where Louis Everson, known as "Black Ponton," is held on suspicion. There is no doubt that he would have been lynched if he could have been identified as the negro who had called at the home of Mrs. Mary Griffin shortly before the assault on the Kaisers.

While the crowds were coming into town a dispatch was received that another outrage had been committed in the county, and this diverted attention from the jail. Sheriff Axby, with deputies, was called early in the day to Welsburg, where an unknown negro, supposed to belong to the same railway construction gang, had criminally assaulted two little daughters of George Smith, a farmer. The sheriff was joined by many farmers with bloodhounds. After a hard chase it was found that the negro had boarded a freight train on the Big Four railway at Sunnyside station and when telegrams were sent after the train the negro could not be found. It is supposed he jumped off the train before it reached the next station.

### Attempted to Kill His Wife.

Marion, Ind., May 25.—After murdering his wife and leaving her for dead, Stephen Isenhour, closely pursued by an angry mob of citizens, escaped into the country and took refuge in a church, where he held the men at bay. When the sheriff and his deputies arrived he realized that there was no chance of escape and sent two bullets into his skull. There is a possibility of his recovery. Mrs. Isenhour is still alive.

### Ban's Measures Approved.

Vladua, May 25.—In an audience given to the ban of Croatia, Count Hadovary, Emperor Francis Joseph expressed approval of the measures taken to preserve order, and it is reported, gave the ban extended powers to deal with the situation. The ban left for Budapest to consult with the Hungarian premier.

### Fatally Hurt at Grade Crossing.

Dayton, O., May 25.—Mr. and Mrs. Buckway were fatally hurt and a dozen others, including the three Buckway children, were seriously injured by a trolley car being struck by an Erie railroad train at a grade crossing.

## DEEDS RECORDED.

Real Estate Deals Taken from Records at Uniontown.

Redstone Water Company to D. C. Frick Coke Company, two tracts of land in South Union township; \$388.35, March 31, 1903.

Right of way from J. H. Parnstone to Fayette Gas Fuel Company, over farm in German township; \$10, March 21, 1903.

H. C. Frick Coke Company to Lavina P. Robinson, nine-foot vein of underlying land in Georges township; \$1, September 29, 1902.

T. M. Jeffries to B. F. King, land in town of New Salem; \$1500, March 11, 1903.

Oliver P. Markle to J. T. Robinson, lot in Second Ward, Uniontown borough; \$700, April 14, 1903.

Henry Melrice to Alpha L. Moser, lot in Springfield township; \$500, January 27, 1903.

I. N. Abraham to Omar Vance, lot in borough of Smithfield; \$175, January 6, 1903.

W. J. Cook to Alena Humphries, lot in Washington township; \$725, February 28, 1903.

Robert F. Sheppard to Harry F. Pile, lot of land in borough of Connellsville on Cedar avenue; \$1250, April 1, 1903.

### NATIONAL AND AMERICAN GAMES

National League Standing.

Chicago..... 29 100 Brooklyn..... 18 60  
New York..... 20 60 Cincinnati..... 17 40  
Pittsburgh..... 14 44 Philadelphia..... 12 20  
Boston..... 11 34 St. Louis..... 9 24

National League Games Saturday.

Boston @ Cincinnati 2.  
New York @ St. Louis 1.  
Philadelphia @ Chicago 14.  
Brooklyn @ Pittsburgh 4.

American League Standing.

Chicago..... 16 57 Detroit..... 12 39  
Pittsburgh..... 12 37 St. Louis..... 12 39  
Philadelphia..... 12 37 New York..... 12 39  
Cleveland..... 12 37 Washington..... 9 24

American League Games Saturday.

St. Louis @ New York 3.  
Cleveland @ Philadelphia 4.  
Chicago @ Boston 4.  
Detroit @ Washington 3.

American League Games Sunday.

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## EVERSON NEWS NOTES

**The Doings of a Day in Tyron's Prospective Borough.**

**OLD P. R. R. MAN PROMOTED.**

**Trolley Cars Stated Monday Across Viaduct and Now Leave North Broadway for Mt. Pleasant.**

Everson, May 25.—One of the sad cases in our life was developed today, when Arthur McConkey of Dunbar came here to make arrangements for the interment of his brother's wife, Mrs. Eliza McConkey, in the Scotland cemetery. She died from purpural convulsions on Friday, at 11:40 A. M. High mass was celebrated at the Roman Catholic Church at Dunbar at 5:30 A. M. Sunday. Mrs. McConkey leaves a husband and five children, the youngest being only five days old. The parties are well known at Everson, and the sympathy of all the people here is extended.

The Scotland fire company tested and worked their new fire alarm system Friday night. It worked like a charm and citizens are loud in their praises of the new system.

Charles Wright, inventor of the triple spring draft, will leave tomorrow for Youngstown, Ohio, where he is to meet Thomas Anderson, general manager of the Youngstown Car & Manufacturing Company.

George M. Gotschy, car inspector for the Pennsylvania railroad, has been transferred to Piquette. Gotschy entered the service of the company 21 years ago May 10, and has been a faithful workman. His many friends here were sorry to see him leave, but are pleased to know he gets a better position. He is succeeded here by A. P. Thompson of the Summit transfer.

The electric cars commenced running over the new viaduct at North Scotland yesterday and are now run through from Broadway to Mt. Pleasant and Tarr's Station.

Chas. W. Thomas, one of the bosses of the Frick Coke Company at Redstone, spent Sunday with his family.

Conductor Harry Hamilton was very much annoyed last week by a report of his death at Altoona from cramps. The report was brought here by Conductor Harry Beagle and caused his friends much uneasiness until he arrived home, as he said, a very lively corpse. He had cramps at Altoona and had to lay over there a short time until he recovered.

Part of the big spars of the Everson viaduct of the P., McK. & C. railway have arrived and are being hauled to the location by Scotland's greatest mulester, Dave Anderson, who never hesitates to tackle any job of hauling, no matter how large.

The heavy rain storm of Sunday washed down a lot of stuff, consisting of powder cans, fruit cans and all manner of rubbish to the street car line and on below to Graff street. Supervisor Dan Collins met the emergency by calling out a large force of men to clean up. Evidently Supervisor Collins is the right man in the right place.

### THE WRIGHT PATENT

**Freight Car Gear to Get Trials and Tests on Western Roads.**

Everson, May 25.—Charles and Uncle John Tipping have returned from a business trip to Chicago, Joliet, Springfield and other manufacturing centers in the interest of Mr. Wright's triple spring draft on railroad cars. The gentlemen on their return report a pleasant trip and a good outlook for business which will be outlined through contracts which are now in sight.

The Chicago & Northwestern railroad and Chicago, Lake Shore & Eastern railroad will make a practical test of the Wright triple spring draft gear. Mr. Wright in his western trip met leading men on different lines of railroads and his models of the triple spring draft gear which he had with him seemed to convince the officials of the companies to whom the models of the invention were exhibited that it was far excellence of any other draft or invention they had ever seen or examined.

For three days Mr. Wright was in conference with the engineers and Mr. Schroyer, general manager of the Northwestern railroad, at their office at West Fortieth street, Chicago.

Mr. Schroyer will present the invention to the company and Mr. Wright will leave here about June 1 to place his invention on the cars of that company and several others for a practical test. The many friends of Mr. Wright will be pleased to learn of his success after his many years of study, which he has put into practical experience, and has developed an invention that already has made a ten-strike with the railroads and other companies needing his draft.

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### FISH EATING CAUSE OF LEPROSY

**Jonathan Hutchinson Gives Opinion as to Cause and Prevention of Dread Disease.**

London, May 25.—Jonathan Hutchinson, former president of the Royal college of surgeons, recently returned from a tour of investigation in India as to the cause and prevention of leprosy, has written a letter on the subject of fish eating as the cause of leprosy. He gives the opinion that the Catholic fast days are responsible for the spread of leprosy and that wherever there is a risk of obtaining unsound fish the use of fish on fast days ought to be forbidden, reiterating his opinion that neither contagion nor the crusades, but Christianity was responsible for the prevalence of leprosy in Europe during the middle ages.

He expresses the fear that the same thing is now happening in India and elsewhere.

"Wherever Catholic missions are successful," says Dr. Hutchinson, "leprosy increases. My calculation is that the risk to a Catholic convert is 20 fold that of one who remains in the Hindoo faith."

Dr. Hutchinson says the Indian Jain, who is a vegetarian, almost absolutely escapes from leprosy, while the Catholic suffers fearfully, and he expresses the opinion that this is a proof that the disease is non-contagious.

In conclusion, among several suggested preventative, he strongly urges the abolition of the salt tax in India to enable the Hindoo to render fish wholesome.

### DOLLAR WHEAT MINIMUM PRICE

**American Society of Equity Issues Bulletin to Farmers to Maintain Prices.**

Indianapolis, May 25.—The American Society of Equity issued a bulletin to the farmers of the United States demanding an increase in the price of wheat, arguing that the minimum price of wheat should be \$1 a bushel and urging the farmers not to sell for less than \$1. The society has been organized, with this city as national headquarters, to maintain higher prices for farm products by co-operation of the farmers of the country and this is the first formal demand for increase in prices as the result of the combination.

The bulletin sets forth the claim that this is an era of unequalled prosperity, demand for commodities is unprecedented, labor is receiving higher wages than ever before and the demand for and consumption of wheat is greater, with a low visible supply.

### Rains Interrupt Traffic.

Topeka, Kan., May 25.—Highwater is causing much trouble for Kansas railroads. The Santa Fe reports 180 feet of track washed out near Quenemo. The Missouri Pacific has a washout at Richland, and the Rock Island is having difficulty in moving trains in Northern Kansas. On the Central branch of the Missouri Pacific the tracks are in a bad condition and traffic on the Union Pacific is much delayed. At Emporia the Cottonwood river is overflowing its banks and flooding farming country. Heavy general rains have fallen in Kansas for a week past.

### Indianapolis to Cincinnati by Trolley.

Indianapolis, May 25.—Traction company officials say that within a month's time it will be possible to travel from Indianapolis to Cincinnati by means of the traction service. Frank M. Favre, head of the Greenfield line, says that within 10 days the Greenfield cars will be running into Richmond. The traction line from Dayton to Richmond will be completed within a month and this will connect Indianapolis with Cincinnati by way of the Cincinnati and Dayton and Toledo lines. June 25 will see the system completed.

### Jumps from Brooklyn Bridge.

New York, May 25.—An unknown man sitting in an open car crossing Brooklyn bridge suddenly alighted when the car was in the middle of the center span, and running to the side of the bridge, jumped into the river. He threw his hat in the face of a fireman who tried to seize him as he stood poised on the edge of the treacherous work and then dived head first, holding a lighted cigar between his teeth. His body rose to the surface immediately after the plunge and was carried away by the current.

### Detained Valuable Letters.

Guthrie, Okla., May 25.—Amos Leedy, aged 60, postmaster at Leedy, Okla., has pleaded guilty to the charge of detaining valuable letters in land contest cases. The case is peculiar, in that the letters remained in the office uncollected for and Leedy, ignorant of what course to pursue, threw them into the waste basket. On account of his age he was left off with a fine and given permission to return home alone for the money with which to pay it.

**Rockefeller Contributes to Y. M. C. A.** Washington, May 25.—John D. Rockefeller has given \$50,000 to the Washington Young Men's Christian association. The gift is conditioned on the completion of a canvass for \$300,000 for the association before January 1, 1904. The total amount contributed thus far is raised by the Rockefeller subscription to \$210,000.

### Planting Mill Burned.

Stroudsburg, Pa., May 25.—The planting mill and thousands of feet of lumber at North Water Gap, owned by ex-County Treasurer F. W. Eifensberger, was destroyed by fire. Loss \$20,000.

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Ladies' Shirt Waist Suits, in white lawn faggotting yoke in skirt and waist..... \$7.50

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A full line of Suits in all materials and styles, from..... \$1.25 to \$7.50

Shirt Waists in Persian lawn, imported embroidery fronts..... \$4.98

Others in linens, duck, pique, madras, etc., self or lace and embroidery trimmed, 50c to \$4.98

Separate Wash Skirts in crash, pique silk gingham, duck and linen..... 98c to \$5.50

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Cambric Corset Covers, lace and embroidery trimmed, all styles, from..... 25c to \$1.50

White Skirts, deep flounce, lace and embroidery trimmed, all styles, from..... 89c to \$5.00

A fine line of Dressing Sacques and Kimonas, dainty and cool, in lawn and dimity, lace trimmed, light blue trimmed in white lawn, white in pink, etc., 50c to \$2.50

For the little ones we have a large assortment of long and short Dresses in Persian lawn, nainsook and cambric, daintily made, trimmed with lace, embroidery and hemstitching..... 25c to \$5.00

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